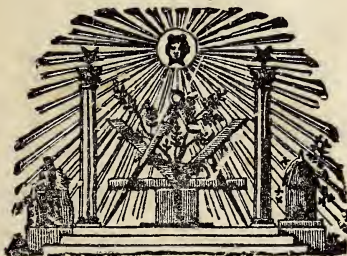


PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
GRAND LODGE
OF
ANCIENT YORK MASONS
OF
NORTH CAROLINA.

A. L. 5840.



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GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

Monday evening, Dec. 7, A. L. 5840.

The Grand Annual Communication of the Right Worshipful Grand Lodge of the ancient and honorable fraternity of free and accepted Masons of the State of North Carolina, was held at the Grand Lodge Room, in the city of Raleigh, on Monday evening 3 o'clock, the 7th December, A. L. 5840.

PRESENT, .

M. W. D. W. STONE, G. M.
R. W. J. G. MARSHALL, G. S. W.
“ “ D. S. CRENSHAW, G. J. W.
C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. TREAS.
W. T. BAIN, G. SEC'Y.
F. H. REEDER, G. S. D.
W. A. HARRISON, G. J. D.
J. D. ROYSTER, G. S. & TYLER.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE FOLLOWING LODGES:

Hiram No. 40, Raleigh, Bros. W. A. Harrison, C. W. D. Hutchings and J. D. Royster.
Phoenix No. 8, Fayetteville, Bros. D. Smith and J. K. Hill.
Skewarkee No. 90, Williamston, Bro. K. Biggs.

VISITING BRETHREN.

Bros. Scott, Wynn and Le Messurier.

On motion, the Grand Lodge then adjourned until half past 6 o'clock this evening.

W. T. BAIN, Gr. Sec.

Monday evening, half past 6 o'clock, Dec. 7, 5840.

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT,

M. W. D. W. STONE, G. M.
 R. W. J. G. MARSHALL, G. S. W.
 " " D. S. CRENSHAW, G. J. W.
 C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.
 W. T. BAIN, G. SEC.
 F. H. REEDER, G. S. D.
 W. A. HARRISON, G. J. D.

ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES.

Concord Lodge No. 58, Tarborough, Bro. W. S. Baker.

Wake Forest No. 97, Wake Forest, Bro. W. R. Thomas.

Joseph Warren No. 92, Stantonsburg, Bro. J. G. Williams.

VISITING BRETHREN.

Bros. Crosby, Luckett, Hallister, Scott, Barnes and Le Messurier.

The following standing committees were appointed by the M. W. Grand Master, viz:

On Charters and Dispensations—Bros. W. S. Baker and D. Lindeman.

On Communications from Grand Lodges and miscellaneous subjects—Bros. H. Sullivan and W. S. Baker.

On Grand Treasurer's Accounts—Bros. D. Smith and W. R. Thomas.

On accounts and claims against Grand Lodge—Bros. C. W. D. Hutchings and F. H. Reeder.

On Charity School—Bros. K. Biggs and W. R. Thomas.

On Returns and Communications from subordinate Lodges—Bros. W. P. Taylor and W. A. Harrison.

The Grand Lodge then adjourned until to morrow evening at half past 3 o'clock.

W. T. BAIN, Gr. Sec.

Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, on

Tuesday eve. at half past 3 o'clock, Dec. 8, 1840.

PRESENT,

M. W. D. W. STONE, G. M.

R. W. J. G. MARSHALL, G. S. W.

" " D. S. CRENSHAW, G. J. W.

C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.

W. T. BAIN, G. S.

F. H. REEDER, G. S. D.

W. A. HARRISON, G. J. D.

D. YOUNG, G. S. B.

J. J. COLLIER, G. P. P. T.

G. HOYT, G. M. P. T.

J. D. ROYSTER, G. S. & TYLER.

VISITING BRETHREN.

Bros. Bolling Dunn, Crosby, Scott, Collier, Barnes, Luckett, Hallister, Le Messurier, Joiner & Johnson.

The Committee appointed on Grand Treasurer's account, reported

A balance in the hands of the Grand Treasurer, on settlement, in 1839, of

\$309 26

Receipts of the past fiscal year, up to December 7, 1840, amount to

241 75

Disbursements for the same period,

\$551 01

320 33

Leaving in his hands this amount, exclusive of the receipts of this Communication.

\$230 68

On motion of Bro. Crenshaw, it was ordered, that the election of Grand Officers for the ensuing year, take place on this evening at half past 6 o'clock.

The Grand Lodge then called off until half past 6 o'clock this evening.

W. T. BAIN, G. Sec.

Tuesday Evening, half past 6 o'clock, Dec. 8th, 5340.

The Grand Lodge convened pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT,

M. W.	D. W. STONE,	G. M.
M. W.	SIMMONS J. BAKER,	P. G. M.
R.	“ W. B. DUNN,	D. G. M.
“	“ J. G. MARSHALL,	G. S. W.
“	“ D. S. CRENSHAW,	G. J. W.
“	“ C. W. D. HUTCHINGS,	G. T.
	W. T. BAIN,	G. S.
	F. H. REEDER,	G. S. D.
	W. A. HARRISON,	G. J. D.
	D. YOUNG,	G. S. B.
	J. J. COLLIER,	G. P. P. T.
	G. HOYT,	G. M. P. T.

ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES.

Lafayette Lodge, No. 86, Louisburg, Bro. D. Young.

Sharon Lodge, No. 78, Greenville, Bro. G. Hoyt.

Columbus Lodge, No. 102, Pittsborough, Bro. W. P. Taylor.

On motion of Bro. J. G. Marshall, the Grand Lodge proceeded to the election of the Grand Officers for the ensuing year, when the following brethren were duly elected:

 Bro. SIMMONS J. BAKER, M. W. G. M.
D. S. CRENSHAW, G. S. W.
K. BIGGS, G. J. W.
C. W. HUTCHINGS, G. T.
W. A. HARRISON, G. S.

On motion of Bro. W. P. Taylor,

Resolved, That a committee of two be appointed to wait on the officers elect, and inform them of their election; and also to request the attendance of one of the Past Grand Masters at their installation.

Bro's W. S. Baker and J. G. Marshall were appointed said committee.

The following Resolutions were submitted by the **M. W. G. M., D. W. STONE**, which were unanimously adopted:

WHERRAS, it has pleased the Supreme Architect of the Universe, in his inscrutable providence to call from among us our worthy brother and fellow-citizen Capt Theo. Hunter, of Wake county, lately a member of this Grand Lodge:

Be it therefore resolved, That we sincerely lament the loss which our Fraternity has sustained in the dispensation of Providence which has called to that bourne from whence no traveller returns our worthy brother Theo. Hunter; and that we sincerely sympathize with his relatives and friends in their bereavement.

Resolved, That the members of this Grand Lodge will wear the usual badge of mourning for ten days, as a testimony of their respect for the memory of our deceased brother.

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary communicate a copy of these Resolutions to the family of our deceased brother.

The committee, to whom was referred certain resolutions respecting charity schools, made their report: the consideration of which was postponed until the next annual communication of the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Lodge then called off, to meet again on to-morrow evening, at half past 6 o'clock

W. T. BAIN, G. Sect'y.

Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, A. L. 5840.

The Grand Lodge assembled at half past 6 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT.

M. W. D. W. STONE, G. M.
 " " S. J. BAKER, P. G. M.
 R. W. J. G. MARSHALL, G. S. W.
 " " C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.
 W. A. HARRISON, G. S. P. T.
 F. H. REEDER, G. S. D.
 P. J. LeMESSURIER, G. J. D. P. T.
 D. YOUNG, G. S. B.
 J. J. COLLIER, G. P. P. T.
 G. HOYT, G. M. P. T.
 J. D. ROYSTER, G. S. & T.

ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES.

Hall Lodge, No. 53, Currituck, Bro's C. Etheridge &
 J. B. Jones.
 Star in the East, No. 103, Elizabeth City, Bro. J. N.
 Tillett.
 Widow's Son, No. 75, Camden, Bro. J. N. Tillett.

The committee to whom was referred communications from Grand Lodges and miscellaneous subjects, made the following report, which was concurred in:

That they have hastily examined the communications from the Grand Lodges of Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio, Maryland, Virginia, Georgia and Florida, and are happy to learn from their tenor that the cause of FREE-MASONRY is advancing; and in no section is a greater zeal and activity manifested, than in those where an unjust warfare has been waged against it.

Your committee find nothing in those communications which require the especial attention of this Grand Lodge, except a resolution on the proceedings of the Grand Lodge of New York, extracted from the proceedings of the G. L. of Alabama, proposing, "that all the Grand Lodges in correspondence with the Grand Lodge of Alabama, be requested to elect one delegate, to meet in general convention on the 1st Monday in March, 1842, in the city of Washington, for the purpose of determining upon a uniform mode of working, throughout all the Lodges of the United States, and to make other lawful regulations for the interest and security of the craft."

Your committee, viewing with regret, the departure in many of our subordinate lodges, as well as in those of other States, from the ancient land-marks of the order; and deeming it of the utmost importance, that

a similarity in working should be observed in all lodges of Ancient York Masons, cannot too strongly urge upon this Grand Lodge the necessity of the proposed convention. They would, however, suggest for the present, that the consideration of a similar resolution be postponed until our next annual communication, that the members generally, of this Grand Lodge, may have time to consider the propriety of its adoption.

Your committee have also had under consideration a written communication from Bro. James Herring, Grand Sect'y of the Grand Lodge of New York, upon the subject of an exchange of representatives among the Grand Lodges of the United States; but forbear to make any suggestions upon this subject.

Your committee recommend that the Grand Secretary be directed to reciprocate the civilities of the Grand Lodges, by forwarding to each, a copy of the proceedings of this Grand Lodge.

In conclusion, your committee finding it impossible, from want of time, and the number of communications, to bestow that care and attention upon them, which a faithful discharge of their duty required, would respectfully recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed, to whom shall be referred all communications relating to foreign correspondence, received by this Grand Lodge during the year; which committee shall digest a report from said communications, and report to the usual special committee appointed on "Communications from Grand Lodges, and upon miscellaneous subjects." All of which is respectfully submitted, &c.

WILLIAM S. BAKER, } Committee.
H SULLIVAN, }

The resolution was adopted, and the following brethren appointed to compose the said committee: Bros. C. W. D. Hutchings, Wm. A. Harrison and Daniel L. Crenshaw.

The committee appointed to wait on some Past Grand Master, and request his attendance at the installation of the grand officers elect for the ensuing year, reported that they had requested Bro. D. W. Stone, M. W. P. Grand Master, whose term of office having constitutionally expired, to perform said duty.

Whereupon, on motion, the Grand Lodge proceeded to the installation of the Grand Officers elect for the ensuing year, when

Bro. SIMMONS J. BAKER,	was installed	Gr. Master,
D. S. CRENSHAW,	" "	Gr. S. War.
K. BIGGS,	" "	Gr. J. W.
C. W. D. HUTCHINGS,	" "	Gr. Tr.
W. A. HARRISON,	" "	Gr. Sect'y.

The M. W. Grand Master then appointed the following officers for the ensuing year—who were also duly installed.

Bro. W. S. BAKER, Dep. G. M.

F. H. REEDER G. S. D.

W. J. RAMSAY, G. J. D.

J. D. ROYSTER, G. S. & TYLER.

Bro. Crenshaw then introduced the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the members of this Grand Lodge tender their thanks to our former Grand Master, D. W. Stone, for the ability and dignity with which he has presided over our deliberations, and in retiring from said appointment, he carries with him the warmest regard and due acknowledgments of each member.

The committee on charters and dispensations, made a report, recommending that the dues of Phalanx Lodge, No. 31, (which lately existed in Charlotte, under the jurisdiction of this Worshipful Grand Lodge, by charter, which has been forfeited,) be remitted; and recommending further, that dispensations be granted Fellowship Lodge, No. 84, Smithfield, and Barton's Creek, No. 106, Wake county; which was agreed to.

Bro. Stone, M. W. P. Gr. Master, submitted the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary be directed to get together those copies of the proceedings of the Grand Lodge, for as many years as he can collect, and that he have them stitched together in 3 volumes, with a copy of the constitution in each volume; and that hereafter a copy of the proceedings of the Grand Lodge shall be annually added to each volume, and that the same shall be preserved by the Grand Secretary for the use of the Grand Lodge.

Resolved, That the Jewels which were forfeited and surrendered to Bro. Gregory, Dep. Gr. Lecturer, for the Grand Lodge, by Fellowship Lodge, No. 84, which lately existed at Smithfield, Johnston county, in this State, and which were delivered over to the Grand Treasurer for the Grand Lodge, be, and the same are hereby given to a new Lodge, now authorized to be established in Johnston county by the same name; and the Grand Treasurer is hereby authorized to deliver the same to Brother Joiner for the use of said Lodge.

The Grand Lodge then adjourned until to-morrow evening, at half past 6 o'clock.

W. A. HARRISON, Gr. Sect'y.

Thursday evening, December 10th, 5840.

The Grand Lodge met at half past 6 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment.

PRESENT.

M. W. S. J. BAKER, G. M.
 " " D. W. STONE, P. G. M.
 R. W. W. S. BAKER, D. G. M.
 " " D. S. CRENSHAW, G. S. W.
 C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, G. T.
 W. A. HARRISON, G. S.
 F. H. REEDER, G. S. D.
 W. J. RAMSAY, G. J. D.
 J. D. ROYSTER, G. S. & T.

ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIVES.

Shocco Lodge, No. 105, Franklin county, Bro. Judkins.
 St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington, Bro. J. T. Miller.

Morning Star Lodge, No. 85, Nashville, Bro. J. A. Drake.

Orr Lodge, No. 104, Washington, Bros. J. O'K. Williams and S. Allen.

University Lodge, No. 80, Chapel Hill, Bro. N. J. King.

The committee to whom was referred accounts and claims against the Grand Lodge, made a report recommending that the following accounts be allowed:

Bro. F. H. Reeder, for work done on Chimney and Stove in Theatre,	\$20 50
Mr. Mark McWilliams, for plastering and whitewashing Hall,	12 00
Mr. William Ashley, for repairing window blinds and making new steps to Lodge,	10 35
	\$42 85

The report was concurred in, and the amount allowed.

The committee on returns and communications from subordinate Lodges, reported the following Lodges duly represented, viz:

St. John's, No. 1, Wilmington; Phoenix, No. 8, Fayetteville; Hiram, No. 40, Raleigh; Concord, No. 58, Tarborough; Sharon, No. 78, Greenville; Morning Star, No. 85, Nashville; Shocco, No. 105, Franklin Co.; La-Fayette, No. 86, Louisburg; Skewarkee, No. 90, Williamston; Joseph Warren, No. 92, Stantonsburg; Wake Forest, No. 97, Wake Forest; Columbus, No. 102, Pittsborough; Orr, No. 104, Washington; Hall, No. 53, Currituck.

Returns from the following Lodges were handed in, but no dues paid:

Widow's Son, No. 75, Camden, by Bro. J. N. Tillett.
Star in the East, No. 103, Elizabeth City, by Bro. J. N. Tillett,
University, No. 80, Chapel Hill, by Bro. N. J. King.

The following resolutions were read and adopted.

Resolved, That the Gr. Secretary be directed to have published two hundred copies of the proceedings of this communication of the Grand Lodge, and that he send one copy to each of the Grand Lodges in the States and Territories of the U. S., and one copy to the Grand Lodge of our sister Republic—Texas—two copies to each of the subordinate Lodges of this State, and that he preserve the balance of the copies for the use of the Grand Lodge.

Resolved, That it shall, from this time forth, be the duty of the Grand Treasurer, at each annual communication of the Grand Lodge, to file with the Gr. Sect'y a statement of the amount of monies and other funds of the Grand Lodge in his hands; which statement the Grand Secretary shall file among his papers, and preserve for the use of the Grand Lodge.

List of Lodges that are in arrears to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, with the amounts that are due from each, so far as it can be ascertained, viz:

	\$	cts.
American George, No. 17, Murfreesborough, 1838, '9 & 40,	30	00
Davie, No. 39, Bertie, 1839 & '40,	20	00
Liberty, No. 45, Wilkesborough, 1837, '8, '9, 40,	36	00
Unanimity, No. 54, Edenton, 1839 and '40,	20	00
Perseverance, No. 59, Plymouth, 1839 and '40,	20	00
Kilwinning, No. 64, Wadesboro', 1833, '4, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9 & 40,	76	00
Taylor, No. 69, Beaufort, 1834, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9 and 40,	66	00
Widow's Son, No. 75, Camden, 1840,	10	00

Greensborough, No. 76, Greensborough, 1840,	10 00
Sharon, No. 78, Greenville, part of 1840,	8 00
Charity, No. 79, Windsor, for 1839 and '40,	20 00
University, No. 80, Chapel Hill, 1840,	10 00
Zion, No. 81, Trent Bridge, 1837, '8, '9 and '40,	36 00
Mt. Zion, No. 82, Statesville, 1833, '4, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9 and '40,	76 00
Line, No. 87, Duplin O. C. H. 1837, '8, '9, and '40,	36 00
Enfield, No. 88, Enfield, 1838, '9 and '40,	30 00
Western Star, No. 91, Rutherfordton, 1832, '3, '4, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9 and '40,	86 00
Joseph Warren, No. 92, Stantonsburg, 1839 and '40,	20 00
Franklin, No. 94, Hyde, 1839 and '40,	20 00
Jerusalem, No. 95, Hookerton, 1839 and '40,	20 00
Hiram, No. 98, Clinton, 1836, '7, '8, '9, and '40,	46 00
Fulton, No. 99, Salisbury, 1834, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9, and '40,	76 00
Rising Sun, No. 100, Morganton, 1833, '4, '5, '6, '7, '8, '9 & 40,	76 00
Warren, No. 101, Kenansville, 1839 and '40,	20 00
Star in the East, No. 103, Elizabeth City, 1840,	10 00
	\$858 00

The foregoing list of balances are estimated to the present Annual Communication, December 10th, A. L. 5840.

The M. W. Grand Master made the following appointments:

Bro. Wm. M. Green,	} <i>Grand Chaplains.</i>	
" Thos. J. Lemay,		
" P. W. Dowd,		
" Q. H. Trotman,		
1st Judicial District, Bro. Caleb Etheridge,	} <i>Grand Lecturers.</i>	
2nd " " " John S. Hawks,		
3rd " " " Jesse H. Drake,		
4th " " " Chas. W. Johnson,		
5th " " " Isaac Northrop,		
6th " " " Edmund Jones,		
7th " " " (None known),		
Bro. Willis Scott, G. S. B.		
" Isaac J. Collier, G. P.		
" Davis Young, G. MARSHAL.		

Bro. James D. Royster was appointed by the Grand Master to take charge of the basement story for the ensuing year.

The business of the Grand Lodge having been com-

pleted, it was closed in due and ancient form, until the first Monday in December, 1841, the 6th day of the month, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

W. A. HARRISON, Gr. Sec.

Returns were received and dues paid from the following subordinate Lodges, after the adjournment of the Grand Lodge, viz:

Eagle Lodge, No. 71, Hillsboro', by bro. Pride Jones.

Royal White Hart, No. 2, Halifax, by bro. B. A. Pope.

Scotland Neck, No. 68, Halifax, by bro. B. A. Pope.

RETURNS.

State of the Lodges working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which have made Returns at the present Communication.

University Lodge, No. 80, Chapel Hill.

OFFICERS.

J B McDade	W. Master
J W Carr	S. Warden
Jones Watson	J. Warden
Dr H B Loyd	Treasurer
J B Tinny	Secretary
S D Strain	S. Deacon
W B Vanderford	J. Deacon
S B Durham }	Stewards
C Bowers }	
George Nevill	Tyler

MEMBERS.

N J King	L K Pratt
C W Johnston .	John Hutchins
J W Fowler	S S Claytor
W Durham	G Philpot
L L Loyd†	W Woodward
Matthew McCauley	Richard Bullock
Willis Barbee	

Initiated 1, passed 1, raised 1.

Star in the East Lodge, No. 103, Elizabeth City.

OFFICERS.

Peter J Massin	Past Master
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William Elliott
 Timothy Hunter
 Robinson White
 Wm W Griffin
 Gilbert Elliott
 Thomas White
 Isaac N Tillet
 N B Wilroy
 George W Kellenger
 Charles Guerken

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Secretary
 Treasurer
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Steward
 do
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Wilson G Lamb
 Enoch Nash
 J A Gambril
 Charles M Laverty
 J H Bray
 Jos A Turner
 Samuel Matthews
 Constant C Green
 Abraham Harrell
 George W Charles
 Zach. Nixon
 Samuel J. Davis
 Zion Culpepper
 Fed. S Proctor
 Jos. H Pool
 E B Sutton

Jas. Barbee
 Job Carver
 David Reddick
 Jno. T Williams
 Edmund C Blount
 John M Skinner
 Carter Barnard
 W H Deford
 Anto. R Markham
 Jeremiah Stakley
 Benjamin Jackson
 Jas. Bank
 Thomas Mitchel
 Mark S Sawyer
 Stephen D Pool
 John J Old

Admitted 1, initiated 1, passed 2, withdrawn 4, rejected 1.

Scotland Neck Lodge, No. 68, Halifax

OFFICERS.

Dr L B Powell
 Geo Cobb
 Heshbon Bishop
 E Hancock
 Thomas D Lawrence
 Arthur Bishop
 Jos. Higgs

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Secretary
 Treasurer
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon

James Pender
 John Edmondson }
 Jesse M Hussey }

Tyler
 Stewards

MEMBERS.

E Hyman
 J D Rawls
 W Dunning
 B J Brantley
 W Hyman
 Edwin Hull
 Charles Shield
 Fred. Pittman, sen.

Marcus P Bishop
 John Bishop, sen.
 E G Hammond
 P T Boyett
 W J Hill
 W T Powell
 J J Lancaster

Initiated 1, rejected 2, withdrawn 3, expelled 1.

Phoenix Lodge, No. 8, Fayetteville:

OFFICERS.

Thos L Hybert
 Henry McLean
 Joseph Arey
 William Warden
 S. G. Williamson
 William Widdifield
 Henry Erambert
 A M Campbell
 Jeremiah B Walton

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Steward
 Tyler

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Honorable Robert Strange
 Rev. Colin McIver
 Duncan Black

MEMBERS.

E L Winslow
 Daniel Baker
 Jno S Rabateau
 W D Murphy
 David Smith, jr

M Brophy
 Alexander Murchison
 P Dailey
 John McRae
 James Dodd
 B2

John McLaughlin
 Dr. Thos N Cameron
 L S Belden
 W L Cofer
 Neill Johnson
 L R Clark
 Walter Draughon
 Arch'd. S McNeill
 Angus G Kelly
 Joshua H Toomer
 W Prior
 Jno B Plunkett

Archibald McLean, sr.
 John R Martin
 William Hatchell
 B D Keelyn
 Abr'm. Cooper
 Wm. Mitchell
 Amos Kimball
 M V Jones
 Jno A Rowland
 B Lee
 John D Williams

Initiated 5, passed 5, raised 5, removed 1, resigned 1, died 2, expelled 1.

Shocco Lodge, No. 105, Franklin.

OFFICERS.

Joseph J Williams
 Robert G Goodloe
 William H Williams
 James Collins
 Thomas J Judkins
 George Davis
 Jason Goswick
 ———
 William Cooper

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Steward
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

William E Andrews
 Joseph Foster
 Daniel Gupton
 Geo W Collins
 Allen Harris

Cooper Gupton
 Edward T Foulks
 Henry G Parham
 Edward R Crabtree
 James M Carson

Initiated 2, passed 2, raised 1, withdrawn 2, expelled 1.

Royal White Heart Lodge, No. 2, Halifax.

OFFICERS.

James Frazier

W. Master

N L B Stith
George W Owens
J J Biggs
F S Marshall
Blake Pittman
A R Allsobrook
Levi Bryan

S. Warden
J. Warden
Secretary
Treasurer
S. Deacon
J. Deacon
Tyler

MEMBERS.

W L Long
H M Purnell
James L Simmons
Henry Harris
W H Hardie
Thos R Neville
Mark H Pettway
A Joyner
James Simmons
John Faulcon
John Alston
A H Neville
M A Wilcox
J H Kirkham
J W Hiptinstall
W D Carstaphen
Daniel B Eelbeck
Thos G Lowe
W D Purnell

John D Minga
J H Eppse
J D Weeks
J J Anderson
B A Pope
James Wier
G Sherman
W G Pride
Thos S Vaughan
Alfred Mabrey
Charles N Webb
A V Russell
Henry Aaron
J H Walker
H J Capell
Theo Cooper
Chas Alston
W W Daniel

Initiated 17, passed 15, raised 15, withdrawn 2;

Eagle Lodge, No. 71, Hillsborough.

OFFICERS.

Henry K Nash
Pride Jones
Jno. Cameron
Allen Parks
Leo E Heartt
Robt F Pleasants

W. Master
S. Warden
J. Warden
Treasurer
Secretary
S. Deacon

James M Palmer
 A M Kirkland }
 David Parker }
 James Parks

J. Deacon
 Steward
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

William Nelson
 Will H Brown
 Will Christmas
 John Berry
 John Cooley
 John Jones
 Henry Richards

Dennis Heartt
 Thomas Cox
 Burris Cheeks
 James Norwood
 Charles Warren
 William Horton

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Initiated 5, passed 4, withdrawn 1, rejected 1.

Hall Lodge, No. 53, Currituck.

OFFICERS.

G C Marchant
 Alex Perkins
 Israel Fanshaw
 John D Grandy
 Tully Bell
 Tully L Dozier
 John Humphries
 Davis B Morse

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Edm L Dozier
 Samuel Ferebee
 Caleb Etheridge
 Thomas Bell
 Jno B Lindsay
 Arthur Gregory
 William F Baxter
 John Forbes
 Jabez Jennett
 Samuel W Ferebee
 John Cox

H Williams
 John L Cox
 John N Wilson
 William A Dozier
 John Fanshaw
 Grandy Barnard
 Solo Ashbee
 William McBride
 Isaac N Baxter
 Joshua Baxter
 Ambrose Dozier

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Initiated 6.

Widow's Son Lodge, No. 75, Camden.**OFFICERS.**

John L Ferril	W. Master
Abner Forbes	S. Warden
John S Burgess	J. Warden
Gideon L Lamb	Secretary
Stephen W Sawyer	Treasurer
William G Wilson	S. Deacon
Dempsey B Morrisett	J. Deacon
Willoughby Wright	Tyler

MEMBERS.

Wilson B Dozier	Eugene Morton
Jacob Mercer	William H Deford
William Forbes	Lemuel W Sawyer
William M Lamb	James M Gregory
Samuel Aydlott	William C Mercer
Jesse C Bell	Nicholas S Burgess
Dempsey C Bell	James L Dozier
Justin B Jacobs	Elijah Staples
Peter Seymour	Samuel Tillet

Initiated 4, passed 6, raised 4, withdrawn 2, rejected 5.

Orr Lodge, No. 104, Washington.**OFFICERS.**

Thos Shaw	W. Master
C E Reaney	S. Warden
Jos Scrauton	J. Warden
F B Satterthwaite	Treasurer
J M Williams	Secretary
H F Hancock	S. Deacon
J T McSwain	J. Deacon
P Cornell	Tyler

MEMBERS.

John S Hawks	Edwin Gorham
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Z W Barrow
 William T Pratt
 George Hobbs
 Thos D Smaw
 D H McCabe
 Rev George N Gregory
 Benj F Latham
 Robert Hardison
 Dempsy H Latham
 H A Ellison
 James Latham
 D C Freeman
 J O'K Williams
 Samuel Smallwood
 N W Guilford
 William Ellison

William M Marsh
 John Y Bonner
 Thos Smallwood
 William Farrow
 McGilbry Wilson
 William N Mackie
 Albert G Wilson
 Amos Ireland
 Jesse G Griffin
 H J Toole
 John S Gaskill
 William L Kenneday
 Zach Farrow
 Richard Cogdell
 Jos E Blount
 William B Jarvis

Initiated 13, passed 13, raised 12, died 4, rejected 2.

St. John's Lodge. No. 1, Wilmington.

OFFICERS.

Isaac Northrop
 T W Brown
 Jas T Miller
 A Baker
 J Smith
 B Baxter
 John Whitten
 E V Kelly }
 W N Peden }
 E Withington

W Master
 S Warden
 J Warden
 S Deacon
 J Deacon
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 Stewards
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

John S James
 C B Mones
 Wm Robtzick
 John N Henry
 T G Fraley
 E Dickenson
 J L Corbett

S A Laspeyre
 R Maxwell
 A J King
 John N Ennett
 John Smith
 Z Baker
 W N Peden

John McAuslin
 Hugh T Costen
 Jos M Foy
 S D Wallace
 D Collins
 Ch Henry
 L H Marsteller

J Marble
 Thomas Cowan
 J T Mones
 M D Mott
 O H Rankin
 J B Nelson

Admitted 2, initiated 3, passed 4, raised 4.

Hiram Lodge, No. 40, Raleigh.

OFFICERS.

William A Harrison
 C W D Hutchings
 James D Royster
 Francis L Reeder
 P Le Messurier
 W W Johnson
 B F Jordan
 Wm L Fowler

W Master
 S Warden
 J Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S Deacon
 J Deacon
 Tyler and Steward

MEMBERS.

John T C Wiatt
 John G Marshall
 Joseph T Hunter
 William J Lougee
 Pascall B Burt
 Horace P Tucker
 Ben. F Jordan

William H Hood
 B Griffin
 G W Scarborough
 Hardie Horton
 Thomas L West
 Richard W Ashton

Initiated 1, passed 1, raised 1.

Concord Lodge, No. 58, Tarborough.

OFFICERS.

Lewis Bond
 Henry King
 S B Staton
 Solomon Pender

W Master
 S Warden
 J Warden
 Treasurer

T C Hearn
A K Barlow
G M Mooring
William Pender

Secretary
S Deacon
J Deacon
Tyler

MEMBERS.

Charles Mabry
Joshua Pender
William Norfleet
John Knight
Britton Howell
Lewis C Pender
Frederick Little
William Magee
Samuel Marshborn
W D Mercer
Josiah Pender
Samuel Hyman
Noah Leggett

William S Baker
Benjamin Batts
W D Pettway
Daniel Parish
James George
Job Thigpen
Joseph Edmondson
L D Bell
J L Horn
James A Staton
W A Pope
D G Baker
James H Boon

Initiated 10, passed 11, raised 11, died 1, expelled 1, rejected 4.

Columbus Lodge, No. 102, Pittsborough.

OFFICERS.

William P Taylor
Reuben C Poe
John Neal
Spence McLenahan
A A Marshall
Oliver L Burch
Thos J Utley
Asa B Gunter

W. Master
S. Warden
J Warden
Treasurer
Secretary
S. Deacon
J. Deacon
Tyler

MEMBERS.

Jonathan Harralson
Joseph Crump
William Fooshee
David Murdon

Norfleet H Ward
Ruffin Davis
John W Bynum
Martin Hanks

Timothy T Brooks
 John Terry
 James Taylor
 Joseph Ramsay
 Chesley C Consil

John A Hanks
 Peter R Lilly
 Henry S Hamlet
 Isaac J Collier

Initiated 2, passed 2, raised 2, expelled 1, withdrawn 1.

Sharon Lodge, No. 78, Greenville.

OFFICERS.

H B Congleton
 Benjamin Brown
 H P Bryant
 B G Albritton
 B M Selby
 John Brown
 E J Powell
 W L Tyer }
 B F Harriss }
 J T Quarturmis }

W Master
 S Warden
 J Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S Deacon
 J Deacon
 Stewards
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Marshall Dickinson
 John C Gorham
 Thomas E Hussey
 A H Johnson
 Henry Herington
 Halloway Mills
 Wm W Andrews
 Kenneth Page
 John Page
 Jesse M Hussey
 G W Cobern
 J H Jenkins
 Jesse Harness
 B F Harriss
 James Brady
 H B Moore
 John Baugh
 B F Hazzleton

Churchill Perkins
 Jacob Moore
 Reuben Philpot
 Micajah Philpot
 Eason Philpot
 E H Taylor
 Goold Hoyt
 T M Gray
 D S Powell
 B H Griffin
 J B Griffin
 John Taylor
 Benjamin Crisp
 H A Hopkins
 E G Andrews
 Samuel Hallow
 Riley Stakes
 W N White

Cannon Smith
J H Burney
Wm Burney
Norfleet Tyer

Edward Laughinghouse
Wm Powell
Luvaney Jolley.

Admitted 2, initiated 2, passed 1, raised 1, withdrawn 2,
died 1, rejected 3.

Morning Star Lodge, No. 85, Nashville.

OFFICERS.

Joseph A Drake
Benjamin H Blount
Jno E Lindsay
John J Bunn
Samuel Brown
Jas C Stevens
Henry Blount
Jno W Mitchell
Jno E Sulzman

W Master
S Warden
J Warden
Treasurer
Secretary
S Deacon
J Deacon
Steward
Tyler

MEMBERS.

Gray Bridges
Henry H Sorsby
James N Mann
Wm H Bowers
John H Drake, jr.
Duncan Floyd
Eli Manning
Bennett Taylor
Joel Wells
Michael Collins
Bolden Melton
Redmond Thorn
Wm W Bryant
Wm Walker
Robt C Hilliard
Richmond Upchurch
John H Drake, sr.
Garret Wiggins
Turner P. Westray

George R Bell
Joseph Winstead
Crawford Arrington
Thos G Stone
Wm F Sykes
James Sullivant
Willis Warren
Sam'l G Wheelis
John G F Drake
Asael Vick
Moses Manning
Wm F Batley
Willis Barbee
Wm H Smith
L B Bunting
Isaac B Hunter
D M Beckwith
J Q A Tayler
John Pitt

Abijah Vester
 Allen T Meachum
 James Ricks

Wm B Boddie
 Joseph Barbee
 Henderson Leigh

Admitted 1, initiated 1, withdrawn 1.

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Wake Forest Lodge, No. 97, Wake Forest.

OFFICERS.

W R Thomas
 Michael Thompson
 John D Powell
 John R Cooper
 James M Terrell
 John M Fleming
 R Hunter
 Jeremiah Dunn
 P Dunn }
 J Dunn }

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Secretary
 Treasurer
 Tyler
 Stewards

MEMBERS.

W B Dunn
 D S Crenshaw
 B Dunn
 B D Simms
 Geo W Purify
 Abram Hester
 Thomas F Christman
 Thos J Lemay
 Goodwin Jones
 William G Allen
 Dr Thomas Hicks
 Thomas J Terrell
 William Johnson

William T Brooks
 R N Jeffreys
 John P Lemay
 N Thompson
 Hudson High
 Benj Young
 Doctor Cole
 Dempsey P Terrell
 Peterson Dunn
 Josiah H Brooks
 William Jones
 James Redford

Received 1, rejected 1.

Lafayette Lodge, No. 86, Louisburg.

OFFICERS.

Davis Young

W Master

Geo Davis
 Sam'l W Hunter
 Baldwin Perry
 Wm M B Arendell
 Jos J Harper
 Jao H Whitfield
 Jos Murphy

S Warden
 J Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S Deacon
 J Deacon
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Smith Patterson
 Wm H Strother
 Archibald H Davis
 Washington Branch
 Gustin Perry
 Alfred A Lancaster
 Samuel H Brodie
 Jos J Foster
 Peyton Harris
 Joel Harris

Alexander Evans
 Nathan B Walker
 Thos Howerton
 Thos L Broom
 Washington Harris
 Thos B Cook
 H M Hicks
 Wm A Mitchell
 Parker Leonard

Initiated 1, expelled 1.

Skewarkey Lodge, No. 90, Williamston.

OFFICERS.

Kader Biggs
 Jesse Martin
 Lorton Cooper
 Joseph Waldo
 Bryant Bennett
 Henry B Smithwick
 William Slade
 Samuel C Whitley
 Levi Pippin

W Master
 Senior Warden
 Junior Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S Deacon
 J Deacon
 Steward
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Kader Biggs
 Jesse Martin
 Lorton Cooper
 Joseph Waldo

Laurence Cherry
 Joseph J Williams
 Levi S Yates
 Jesse L Swannér

Bryant Bennett
 Henry B Smithwick
 William Slade
 Simon M Smithwick
 Levi Pippin
 James Mizell

Samuel C Whitley
 Pierce Whitley
 Thomas R Cofield
 George R Howell
 Arthur S Mooring

Admitted 2, initiated 1, passed 1, raised 1, withdrawn 2,
 suspended 1.

Joseph Warren Lodge, No. 92, Stantonsburg,

OFFICERS.

Robert Simms
 John Rowe
 John G Williams
 Joshua Wilkinson
 Joab Horne
 Williom A Derden
 Edwin G. Speight
 Andrew E Gill

W. Master
 S. Warden
 J. Warden
 Treasurer
 Secretary
 S. Deacon
 J. Deacon
 Tyler

MEMBERS.

Josiah Jourdan
 James W Barnes
 John Coalman
 Elisha Ellis
 Benj Gay
 John Wilkinson
 John W Farmer
 Wright Edmundson
 Edwin Barnes
 Thomas S Burt
 William R Dupree
 Jonathan T Eason
 Theophilus Eason
 Hardy F Barnes
 Isaac W Horne
 William J Armstrong
 Nathan H Davis
 John Wilkins
 Thomas Wilkins
 James Permenter

Ire G Ellis
 Alfred Ellis
 Jacob H Barnes
 David W Barnes
 David G W Ward
 John Pitt
 Abner C Wilkinson
 David C Bell
 Jacob Daniel
 Patrick H Hough
 Jesse Mercer
 William Bizzel
 Benjamin White
 David Jourdan
 Jacob Taylor
 James Cobb
 William Barnes
 Lewis J Dorch
 James Stallings
 Samuel Barnes

Admitted 3, initiated 13, passed 12, raised 10, with-
 drawn 2, died 1, rejected 4.

*List of Lodges under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge
of North Carolina, A. L. 5840.*

St. John's,	No. 1,	Wilmington,
Royal White Hart,	2,	Halifax,
St. John's,	3,	Newbern,
Phoenix,	8,	Fayetteville,
American George,	17,	Murfreesborough,
Phalanx,	31,	Charlotte,
Stokes,	32,	Concord,
Davie,	39,	Bertie,
Hiram,	40,	Raleigh,
Liberty,	45,	Wilkesborough,
Hall,	53,	Currituck,
Unanimity,	54,	Edenton,
King Solomon,	56,	Northampton,
Concord,	58,	Tarborough,
Perseverance,	59,	Plymouth,
Kilwinning,	64,	Wadesborough,
Scotland Neck,	68,	Halifax,
Taylor,	69,	Beaufort,
Eagle,	71,	Hillsborough,
Widow's Son,	75,	Camden,
Greensborough,	76,	Guilford,
Sharon,	78,	Greenville,
Charity,	79,	Windsor,
University,	80,	Chapel Hill,
Zion,	81,	Trent Bridge,
Mount Moriah,	82,	Statesville,
La Fayette,	83,	Onslow Court House,
Morning Star,	85,	Nashville,
La Fayette,	86,	Louisburg,
Line,	87,	Duplin Old Court House,
Enfield,	88,	Enfield,
Skewarkee,	90,	Williamston,
Western Star,	91,	Rutherfordton,
Joseph Warren,	92,	Stantonsburg,
Franklin,	94,	Hyde,
Jerusalem,	95,	Hookerton,
Wake Forest,	97,	Wake,
Hiram,	98,	Clinton,
Fulton,	99,	Salisbury,
Rising Sun,	100,	Morganton,
Warren,	101,	Kenansville,
Columbus,	102,	Pittsborough.

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RETURN of the Officers and Members of _____ Lodge, No. _____, by (Charter or Dispensation, as the case may be) from the M. W. Grand Lodge of North Carolina, together with a statement of the Admissions, Initiations, Passings, Raisings, Withdrawals, Deaths, Suspensions, Expulsions and Rejections, which have taken place in said Lodge, from _____, A. L. _____, to _____, A. L. _____

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MASTER.

V. I. A.

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